

APRIL 22, 1816.

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Read twice and committed to a committee of the whole House to-morrow.

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## A Bill

*To fix the peace establishment of the marine corps.*

1     *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of*  
2     *the United States of America, in Congress assembled, That*  
3     the peace establishment of the marine corps shall consist of  
4     one lieutenant colonel commandant, two majors, seventeen  
5     captains, twenty first lieutenants, eighteen second lieutenants,  
6     and one thousand non-commissioned officers, musicians, and  
7     privates ; the number of non-commissioned officers and musi-  
8     cians to be designated by the President of the United States.